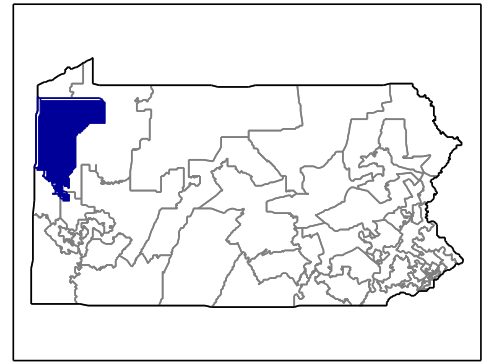


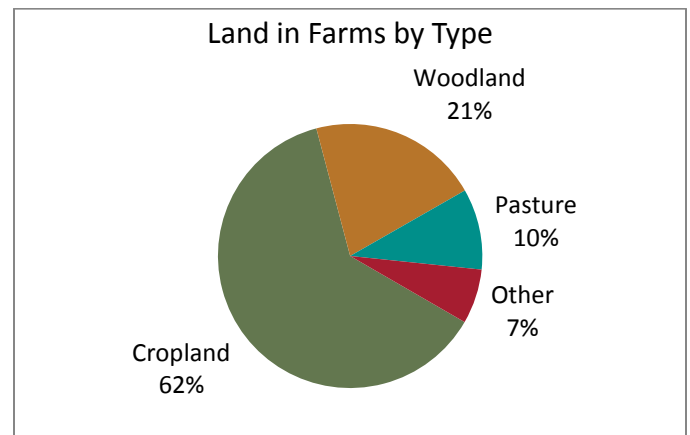
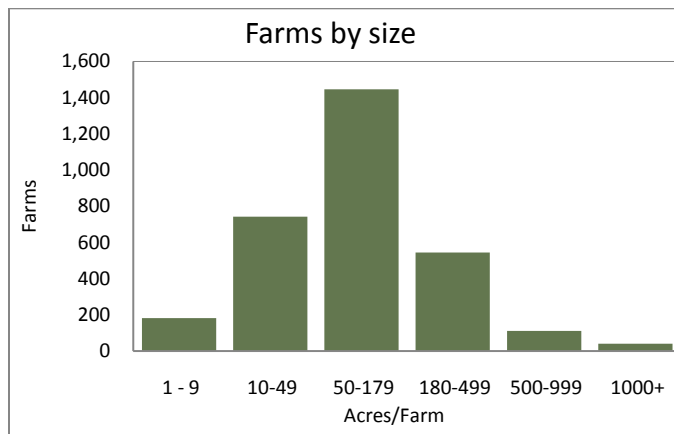
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## Pennsylvania Senate District 50

	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	4,800	4,666	+ 3
<b>Number of Farms</b>	3,068	3,068	0
<b>Land in Farms</b>	454,519 acres	438,048 acres	+ 4
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	148 acres	143 acres	+ 3
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	826 acres	604 acres	+ 37
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$180,448,000	\$116,178,000	+ 55
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$58,816	\$37,868	+ 55
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$6,853,000	\$3,280,000	+ 109
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$4,454,000	\$4,080,000	+ 9
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,362	\$6,316	- 31



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#### Ranked items among the 50 senate districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	180,448	11	46
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	54,530	10	46
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	125,918	9	45
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	32,912	6	44
Tobacco	(D)	17	17
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,727	18	44
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,419	19	43
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	8,924	15	45
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	11	41
Other crops and hay	(D)	6	41
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	43
Cattle and calves	23,614	10	45
Milk and other dairy products from cows	77,486	8	40
Hogs and pigs	983	19	42
Sheep, goats, and their products	691	4	43
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	803	15	40
Aquaculture	(D)	4	33
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	12	43
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	100,228	7	45
Corn for grain	71,481	2	42
Soybeans for beans	32,264	4	39
Corn for silage or greenchop	17,652	10	39
Oats for grain	10,614	1	37
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Layers	(D)	8	43
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	8	38
Pheasants	(D)	2	37
Cattle and calves	80,936	8	45
Hogs and pigs	7,512	17	42

#### Other Senate District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	900	Farming	1,529
\$1,000 to \$2,499	299	Other	1,539
\$2,500 to \$4,999	292		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	325	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	290	Male	2,665
\$20,000 to \$24,999	93	Female	403
\$25,000 to \$39,999	205		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	81	Average age of principal operator (years)	55
\$50,000 to \$99,999	165		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	257	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	118	American Indian or Alaskan Native	12
\$500,000 or more	43	Asian	5
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	155,451	Black or African American	7
Average per farm (\$)	50,669	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	36,304	White	4,671
Average per farm (\$)	11,833	More than one race	9
		All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	24

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of senate districts in state with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.